

Local Items :-:

GET IT AT DONGES

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WEATHER REPORT

Mrs. Alice R. Dodds has been appointed by the probate court administrator of the estate of her late husband, John A. Dodds. Bond was fixed at \$7,000.

Among a number of interesting post card photographs which were received by Judge Smith from his son, Commander Earl Smith of the U. S. Destroyer Nicholson, is a picture of a German U-Boat which was captured by the Fanning and the Nicholson. The commander gave no idea of the name of the boat, or where the capture took place. While the photograph is somewhat indistinct, having evidently been taken through a mist, the figures of the crew of the German boat, standing on its deck, are plainly visible.

OHIO—Probably showers late tonight and on Friday; warmer to night.

The time for paying taxes has been extended to July 20th. J. E. Sutton, county treasurer. adv6-21

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kafory of Locust street are the proud parents of a seven pound girl, who arrived on Friday evening.

J. E. Williams of St. Louis, who stopped here for a visit with his nieces, Misses Sarah and Eleanor Williams, has continued on his motor trip to the Atlantic coast, where he will spend the summer.

High cost of meat has caused William Sinner, a former Xenia man, to give up the retail business in Urbana. He closed out his stock Saturday night and locked his doors. He had been in business two years and started off with modest prices and built up a good trade. A local wholesale plant opened a retail store near him and it is thought that this was also a factor in driving him out of business. He will remain in Urbana and seek other employment.

Miss Thelma Flannery is visiting relatives in St. Paris, Ohio. From St. Paris she will go to Urbana for another visit and expects to stay about six weeks in the two places. On her return she will go to Kentucky for a visit with her uncle, Judge Harvey Flannery, where she will spend the remainder of the summer.

Pack Jackson, who was fined \$500 by Police Judge E. D. Smith, on a bootlegging charge, has filed a petition in error in common pleas court, through his attorney, F. W. Johnson.

On next Sabbath evening, June 23, the local branch of the American Bible Society will hold its annual public service. This will be a union service at the First Reformed Church, with Rev. McMichael of the United Presbyterian Church of Cedarville preaching the sermon. A full attendance is desired.

Miss Elsie Grottenick has resigned her position at the Fetz grocery and has taken a clerical position in the efficiency department of the Hoover & Allison Company.

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

J. A. Long Co., Cash for Cream. Open for business at our new location 45 West Main street, Monday June 24th. Use our rest room while your cream is being tested. G. A. MENDENHALL, Agent. adv 6-22.

HELP for Mothers

The mother who is nursing her baby must frequently take some laxative for the good of her child. Tea brewed from a natural herb and leaves has a mild action and a soothing effect upon both mother and babe. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea contains only the best of laxative herbs. The strength of each dose can be regulated to suit the individual. Causes no griping—no reaction. Contains no harmful drugs. Safe, sure and economical. Every mother should use it. Begin tonight. Prepared by Hollister Laboratories Madison, Wisconsin.

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We are living up our vital forces faster than nature can replace them. Overwork, worry, brain-tire and dissipation waste away the most vital elements of the blood, brain and nerves.

DR. CHASE'S Blood and Nerve Tablets

Which Contain Iron, Nux Vomica, Gentian. Make new blood so fast they force new life and vigor into every part of the body. They build you up by replacing the elements you fail to get from ordinary food.

Weigh Yourself Before Taking. Price 60 cents, Special Strength 90 cents. United Medicine Co., 224 N. 10th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Fish

For Friday and Saturday

HALIBUT, CATFISH, PICKEREL, BONELESS HERRING, SMOKED FISH, FRESH EGGS, COUNTRY BUTTER

Yowler's Fish Market East Main Street, Xenia

Miss Margaret Hess, a Methodist Episcopal missionary in Korea, formerly pupil at the O. S. and S. O. Home, is on her way to this country, on a leave of absence, and is expected to arrive in about a month. She has written that she will be here to see old friends.

Miss Cornelia Madge McKeever, of this city, was granted a certificate as teacher of public school music by the Cincinnati College of Music yesterday.

Six young colored men were sent to Camp Sherman by the Local Board Wednesday. In the bunch were, Lee Shorter, Clinton Washington, William Sterling, Walter Stoffer, Cashius Bell, and Robert Vernon Carter. Carter was sent here by the Local Board at Niles, O.

Wilbur Labron, pharmacist's mate on the hospital ship Mercy, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. W. A. Labron, is returning East to join his ship, Friday. Mrs. Labron will start Saturday on the trip to Canada which she deferred when she learned that her son would be granted a leave of absence.

Joseph Wead, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Wead of the Towler road, has enlisted in the U. S. Marines and expects to leave soon for Port Royal, South Carolina, where he will go into training. Mr. Wead did not enlist for any particular trade, but will go in for the regular service. He has been employed as a fireman on the Pennsylvania Railroad since his graduation from Central High School in 1917.

Mrs. R. C. West is spending several days as the guest of Mrs. George Volkenand at Alpha.

The "Bathing Beach Battalion," a merry crowd of charming young girls, "outing" at Kilkare park, Wednesday evening. The "Battalion" enjoyed the afternoon bathing and then a delicious picnic supper was served. Those of the "Battalion" present were: Misses Dorothy Zell, Grace Kiernan, Louise Hicks, Mary Julia Whittington, Katherine Hollencamp, Katherine Guilday, Celia Moore, Julia Wolf, Elizabeth Galloway, Emma Dymond, Olive Huston and Mary Manning.

Popular dance, Friday evening, at Wilmington. Swindler orchestra. adv

C. C. Buckles, Magistrate J. H. McPherson, I. T. Cummins and H. H. Conklin are among the local veterans attending the state encampment of the G. A. R. at Hamilton, this week. Mrs. S. M. Poland, Mrs. Howard Norris and Mrs. P. J. Wilson, of the W. R. C., Miss Faye Cavanaugh and Katherine Harned, state president and secretary of the Daughters of Veterans, and F. M. Burrell and L. S. Barnes of the Sons of Veterans, are attending the state conventions of their organizations which are also being held in Hamilton.

Miss Mae Harper will go to Toledo, Saturday, to be with her niece, Miss Edith Harper, who is ill.

Little Martha Collins, the infant daughter of Dr. and Mrs. R. J. Collins, who has been seriously ill of a brain trouble at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Stephenson, at Yellow Springs, is improving, and is believed to be out of danger.

Leigh M. Nisbet has taken a position for the summer months at the Xenia National Bank.

Richard Gowdy will be employed during the summer in the office of the Delco Company in Dayton.

Three year old Beatrice McClellan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Earl McClellan, of the Upper Bellbrook pike, received several severe gashes on the face, when she fell on a small glass churn, which was broken beneath her weight, the jagged edges cutting her face. The child was playing about the churn when the accident occurred. The wounds were dressed by Dr. Finley.

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Dangers of Constipation.

Neglected constipation may cause piles, ulceration of the bowels, appendicitis, nervous prostration, paralysis. Don't delay treatment. Best remedy is Foley Cathartic Tablets. Do their work surely, easily, gently, without injury to stomach or intestinal lining. Contain no habit-forming drugs. Fine for fat folks, Sayre & Hemphill.

NOTICES

Copy for notices to appear in this column must be furnished before 10 a. m. of day of publication.

The Comrades Sunday school class of the Oldtown M. E. church will meet at the home of Misses Edna and Clara Rheubert, Friday evening, June 21st at 7:30. Every member is requested to be present, as there will be election of officers and other business to transact. Visitors welcome.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist church will meet at the church Friday June 21, at 2 o'clock. Members are urged to be present.

The janitors of the Xenia city schools will please meet in the basement of Central Building, tomorrow morning at nine o'clock. By order of the president.

Reformed Church choir practice Thursday, June 20, at 7 p. m.

Thimble party, Phoenix Rebecca Lodge No. 74, will meet with Mrs. Adams, 126 West Market street, on Friday afternoon.

THEATERS

BIJOU.

That most attractive and interesting youth, Charles Ray, has the leading role in the Paramount production, "The Son of his father," which plays at the Bijou Theater, Friday and Saturday matinee and night.

The much-advertised picture, "Woman and the Law," did not come to the Bijou Wednesday, and the picture was changed for the William Fox production, "Rough and Ready," with William Farnum.

The seven reel picture made an excellent substitution and was well received by the audience.

ORPHIUM.

There is a seven-reel Triangle play on at the Orphium Theater, Friday night, when "A Soul in Trust," featuring Belle Bennett comes to that theater.

The picture features, beside Miss Bennett, Darrell Foss as leading man, and Lillian West, Grover Franke, Barney Sherry and others. Such a capable cast could not miss, and it is promised that the Triangle company has struck twelve in this master production.

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C. A. Weaver

Paul Bishop, who was injured in an automobile accident near Delaware last Thursday, came to Xenia yesterday and is recuperating from his injuries at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Bishop.

Marriage License—Warner Bell, 37, Lexington, Ky., and Daisy Daniel, 25, 1129 East Second street.

Miss Stella Scarff, of Cleveland, is visiting her cousin, Miss Bessie Scarff.

Miss Charlotte Farrell and Miss Mildred Hallisy started Wednesday night for New York City, expecting to see Sergeant Henry L. Farrell, who is with his command at Camp Upton. After leaving New York they will go to Boston to visit Miss Hallisy's relatives.

Children's Ailments



DISORDERS of the stomach and constipation are the most common diseases of children. To correct them you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Tablets. One tablet at bed time will do the work and will make your child bright and cheerful the following morning. Do not punish your children by giving them castor oil. Chamberlain's Tablets are better and more pleasant to take.

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So buy white when you can.

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TO-NIGHT

"Rough and Ready"

Fox 7-Reel Standard Picture, featuring William Farnum and an all-star cast.

Friday and Saturday MATINEE AND NIGHT

The Son of His Father

Paramount 5 - Reel
Drama featuring Chas.
Ray.



Sherlock Ambrose

2 Reel L-Ko Comedy
featuring Mack Swain.

Admission 10c and 15c

NEW BURLINGTON

Reed Rhubert and family of near Oldtown spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Phillips.

Miss Marie Hall of Dayton is visiting Miss Edna Coyle.

E. C. Lamar and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Lemar, south of town.

Mrs. Elizabeth Carr is the guest of Miss Ellen Jenkins, near Xenia.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mills and Elmer Mills of the Bellbrook pike, spent Sunday with Wm. Blair and family.

Miss Bretna Cosby of Terrace Park, and Mrs. McDonald of Cottage Hill, Fla., Mrs. Mina Peterson and son, Alpheus Peterson, and wife of near Lumberton, Lester Barnes and family of Xenia and Miss Jimima Boots of this place all were guests of Mrs. Emaline DeHaven and family, Sunday.

Mont Compton and family of Beechgrove spent Sunday with Marion Icenhower and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Flint and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowman of Wilmington were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Chenoweth and family.

The members of the Epworth League were entertained at the home of the pastor, Rev. Wm. Shriver and family, Monday evening.

C. D. Miers and family spent Sunday with Arthur Hartman and family near Wilmington.

W. C. Smith and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Alexander at Spring Valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Reeves of Xenia spent Sunday with his parents here.

Mrs. Lydia Hill, who has been very ill, is improving.

A. W. Reeves and Charles Harrison are attending the G. A. R. encampment at Hamilton this week.

Miss Mary Craig of east of town, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Scammahorn.

The Bootlegger's Request.

Asked if he had anything to say before receiving sentence to the county jail on his conviction as a bootlegger, a Vernon county offender told the judge he'd like to be allowed to collect before going behind the bars the \$3 due him from the sale of the whisky on which the prosecution was based.—Kansas City Times.

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QUIET WEDDING IS SOLEMNIZED

In a simple ceremony which took place at the parsonage of Trinity church at 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Miss Lois Naomi Milburn, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Milburn, of West Second street, became the bride of Henry T. Moore, of the County Surveyor's office, the Rev. H. J. Jewett officiating.

The bride wore for her marriage a brown silk frock with shoes and hat to correspond. Following the service, supper was served at the home of the bride's parents, immediate relatives being the only guests.

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POLICE VAGRANCY NET GETS THREE

Police vagrancy drag-nets brought in three men Wednesday who appeared before Police Judge Smith Thursday morning.

James Riley, white, who has not only been loitering on the streets, but also had been begging, was fined \$25 and costs and sent to the work house to work out his fine.

John Robinette, white, arrested on a plain drunk charge, was given \$5 and costs and ten days in the work house.

Both men were taken to the works Thursday morning.

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BUILDING SHIPS OF STRUCTURAL IRON.

The steel cargo vessel Agawam launched at Newark Bay shipyard a couple of weeks ago, is the first of a type of standardized steel vessels being constructed from structural steel shapes and plates, used in the past only for the construction of bridges, office buildings, etc. The various steel parts of the vessels hull and superstructure were fabricated, as completely as practicable, in structural steel shops throughout the country, and then assembled at the Newark Bay shipyard into a complete vessel. This is a decided innovation in the ship building industry, and gives promise of great success in economy and speed of production, heretofore not thought possible.

With a view of assisting in the supply of much needed additional shipping, the Submarine Boat Corporation just recently has undertaken the building of a large number of ocean going steam steel steamships for the Emergency Fleet Corporation, one hundred and fifty vessels, of exactly the same type as the Agawam, being now in process of construction.

Approximately twenty-seven steel mills, fifty-six fabricating plants, and two hundred foundries, machine, pipe, joinery and equipment shops, are engaged in the production of the parts to make up the finished steamship.

The Newark Bay Shipyard, where these vessels will be assembled and completely equipped, has been constructed during the past winter, for the particular purpose described, and has been designed for the efficient and rapid assembling, fitting out and equipping of these standardized steamships, fabricated from structural steel. Twenty-eight shipways have been erected upon which to construct that number of vessels at one time. Each vessel, as launched, will be taken to the fitting out docks at this yard, where machinery and other equipment will be placed aboard, and the vessel made ready for sea service.

As every vessel to be built at this shipyard is of the same size and type, the time required for construction and completion will be much less than has heretofore been required for such work. From the twenty-eight construction ways in this yard, on which there are now being assembled a greater number of ocean-going steamships than in any other shipyard in the world, it will be possible to launch hulls on an average of at least two and possibly three per week, insuring delivery from the fitting out docks, ready for sea, at the same rate, of completely fitted ocean-going steamships.

Among other notable people present at the launching of the Agawam were Charles M. Schwab, (Director General of Ship Building,) and his wife, and the Hon. Thomas A. Edison. Mrs. Woodrow Wilson has most appropriately selected names of Indian origin for the Emergency Fleet, and has made a particularly happy choice in the name "Agawam"—a literal translation of which is "Great Salt Meadows of the Atlantic Coast."

Serenity of Labor.

Latimer recalled the wonder that always possessed him when he stopped to peer down into excavations where men groped about in a crazy network of mounds and conduits, or when he looked up to the steel girders swinging into place on the new skyscrapers. Only now and then would he catch sight of a heavy sledge in play, or the heave of muscles. As a rule, men moved about in the tangle of cloaca as if engaged in an elaborate minuet. He saw men poised on the end of a steel beam go through a graceful calisthenics, with a measured wave of the arm, now this way, now that way, 30 stories above the sidewalk. Yet the subways got themselves dug, and the pavements were laid—and torn up again—and the skyscrapers grew a couple of stories overnight.—From the Atlantic.

The Natural Sweetness of Grape-Nuts

is a real sugar saver
Practically the only cereal food that develops its own sugar in the making

MONUMENT TO BUCHANAN.

President Wilson will decide whether a statue of James Buchanan, fifteenth President of the United States, shall be erected in Washington.

The Senate by a vote of 51 to 11, voted in favor of thus honoring the memory of Abraham Lincoln's predecessor in office. The vote was taken after a debate which lasted three hours, and during which Senator Lodge withdrew his charge of "disloyalty" that he made against Buchanan last Friday. He and the other opponents of the statue contended themselves with arguing that Buchanan was "weak and inefficient," while Senator Knox of Pennsylvania, and the others who supported the proposition eulogized Buchanan.

Senator Lodge had his desk piled high with books on history of Buchanan's disloyalty, he had said he wanted to look up when he asked for a postponement of the debate last Friday. While he admitted Buchanan was guilty of no disloyal utterances, he declared "many of his acts were almost those of a traitor." He argued that Buchanan's weakness of action brought about the Civil War. A fund of \$100,000 with which to erect the statue was provided in the will of Mrs. Harriet Lane Johnson, niece of President Buchanan and mistress of the White House during his administration. The resolution passed by Congress specifies that it shall be erected in Meridian Hill Park, the most costly park for its size in the District of Columbia.

PENN. R. R. MOVING 8,462 CARS PER DAY.

Under the stress of moving war materials the Pennsylvania Railroad is breaking all existing freight records. The general movement of freight on the lines east of Pittsburgh in the forty-eight hours ended last Sunday was the greatest ever known for any two-day period in the railroad's history. Statistics of the movement of cars taken at twelve different points showed a total of 90,661 cars in that time.

The east and west movement via the Maine line of the Pennsylvania Railroad continues to be of record-breaking volume. Daily counts made at Columbia, Pa., on the low-grade route show an average movement past that point of 8,462 cars per day for the first sixteen days of June. This exceeds all previous monthly records, the next best having been that of May of the present year, with a daily average of 8,066 cars.

"Growing Pains."

While we could not think of calling rheumatism a children's disease, yet the great majority of cases of this malady occur between the ages of five and twenty-five years; that is, the first attack, for rheumatism, having gained an entrance into the system, loves to renew the acquaintance at intervals upon the least provocation. In fact, some of the best medical authorities tend to the belief that what we popularly call "growing pains" in children is a form of rheumatism, and were it treated as such, very often subsequent and more formidable attacks of this obstinate ailment might be prevented. Again, rheumatism is a disease which is not hereditary, in the strict sense of the term, yet the tendency to it in succeeding generations is as strong, or even stronger, than in the case of most diseases which were formerly considered inherited.

Barber Invented Organ.

The organ is a very ancient instrument, its invention being credited to Ctesibius of Alexandria, a barber of the Egyptian city, in 250 B. C. It was not until a thousand years later, however, that they were first used in the churches of western Europe. One chronicle asserts that Pope Vitalianus installed an organ in a church in Rome in the year 658, while an ancient French work records that King Pepin erected one of the instruments in the Church of St. Cornelle at Compiègne, in France in 787. It is probable that organs were used in religious services in the eastern empire many centuries before they were introduced into western Europe.

No Cause for Alarm.

When a severe, thin-necked young man with an overhanging brow comes to the old home town and buys out the second weekly newspaper we do not get excited over the incident. When he announces that he has come to stay we manage to restrain our desire to hurl our hats on high. When he favors us with a two-column salutory we continue calm. Although he threatens to elevate the manners and morals of the community, lead us into high and better ways, teach us how to manage our business and our farms, guide us politically, reform our tastes, bend us as we ought to incline and lead us whither we should go, we do not become apprehensive. We know, from previous experiences that he will linger with us a few months and then, as usual, the excruciating second weekly will be sold.—Kansas City Star.

When the Cowboy Fainted.

Young Lady (on her first visit West).—"What do you have that coil of line on your saddle for?" Cowboy—"That line, as you call it, lady, we use for catching cattle and horses." Young Lady—"How interesting! And what do you use for bait?"

DAVID E. TOMS OF FAIRFIELD AMONG SEVERELY WOUNDED

Official late reports gave the name of David E. Toms of Fairfield, correctly in the list of those severely wounded among the Marines in France.

Early the casualty lists gave the names as David E. Thomas, but this was a mistake. David E. Toms, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Toms of Fairfield and is but 22 years of age. He has been in the service for two years, six months of which has been in France. He has been participating with the Marines in the splendid fighting force has been taking part. It is considered unusual that official notification from the government of the wounding of the young man did not reach his parents before the casualty list was printed.

MERRY PARTY AT KILKARE PARK

A merry party of young women enjoyed a picnic at Kilkare park and later a trip to Lakeside park, Dayton, Wednesday evening. The affair was given in honor of Mrs. Chester R. Hinkle, of Troy, who is visiting here. The party made the trip in a truck of the Stiles Coal Co., driven by Miss Trina Stiles who handled the big truck in a clever manner. At Kilkare park they had a picnic supper, roasting weiners over an open fire. Then they spent the balance of the evening at Lakeside. After returning home the entire company of girls were the guests of Mrs. Dilver Belden at a slumber party.

Those who enjoyed the affair were: Misses Trina Stiles, Lucille Wallace, Eleanor Donges, Marie Donges, Helen Kennedy, Elsie Kennedy, Louise Shaffer, Mrs. Chester R. Hinkle, Mrs. Ruth Scott, Mrs. Dilver Belden and Mrs. F. W. Chew.

ALL MANUFACTURERS ASKED TO ATTEND MEETING IN DAYTON

As previously reported the Production Division of the Ordnance department has been divided into regional districts under the supervision of a Regional Director, and these regions have been subdivided. Greene county is in subdivision No. 2 of the Cincinnati region.

A meeting of the manufacturers of this sub-division has been called for Friday at 1:30 in the assembly chamber of the Greater Dayton association. All manufacturers and others interested are requested to attend. Those wishing to do so kindly notify Secretary of Xenia Business Association or Mr. A. H. Finlay, who has been appointed the Chairman of this committee.

NEW JASPER

Children's Day services at the M. E. church were largely attended Sunday forenoon.

Mr. Harlan Stevens has purchased an Empire auto. Messrs. S. B. LeVally and O. C. Shirk spent Wednesday and Thursday at Indianapolis. Mr. LeVally drove an Empire car home for the Sutton Auto Agency.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Humphrey are the happy parents of a son. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Beason and children, of New Burlington, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Shirk.

The Board of Education has employed for the coming year teachers for New Jasper Township as follows: Junkin's School, Mr. Earl Klontz; White Chapel School, Miss Alma Turner; Mt. Tabor School, Miss Roxie Strong; New Jasper School, Miss Cora Shirk; Hyslop School, Miss Helen Hickman; Stringtown School, Miss Faye Leah. The Board of Education to show their appreciation of the efforts put forth by the teachers the past year to improve the schools, employed the teachers for the coming year at salaries far in advance of what they had previously been paying them.

Story of a Statue.

One of the most admired treasures of art in Florence is Michael Angelo's youthful David. The shepherd stands with firm foothold, the stone grasped tightly in his right hand, ready to be sped on its errand. But the remarkable beauty of the statue is not the only thing that attracts attention. The statue has a story. A sculptor began work on the same piece of marble, but lacking skill he only hacked and chiseled the block. It was then cast aside, as a worthless thing. For years it lay in a backyard among the rubbish. At last Michael Angelo saw it, and at once perceived its possibilities. Under his skillful hand the stone became like a living thing, full of marvelous beauty.—Selected.

Lengthens Life of Chain.

It has been discovered that a hemp rope twisted in and out of the links of an iron chain will make the chain last 70 per cent longer by reducing friction, and save from one-fifth to one-third of the price of a new chain.

Sheriff and Mrs. F. A. Jackson spent Wednesday in Columbus.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Ralph O. Wead of Yellow Springs authorizes the announcement that he is a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of county auditor subject to the primary election August 13th.

SILVERCREK TP. FARMERS ORGANIZE

The Silvercreek branch of the County Farm Bureau has been organized under the direction of County Agent Ford S. Prince, at a meeting held in Jamestown.

The organization is as follows: Pres., C. D. Lackey; Vice Pres., Andrew Bryan; Secretary and Treasurer, Mr. Fitzpatrick; Business Agent, C. G. Ritenour; Director, Frank Johnson. The membership committee is as follows: District 1, Rodney Roberts, 2, Walter Shipley, 3, Charles Turner, 4, C. G. Ritenour, 5 J. M. Dwyer, 6, D. E. Paullin and 7 Charles Leach.

There will be a meeting of Xenia Township in the office of the County Agent in the post office building, Wednesday evening.

SPRING VALLEY

Mrs. Mary Copsey is visiting her sister at Nevada, O.

Mrs. Carl Sims of Kenon, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Faulkner.

Master George Kent, of Bellevue, Ohio, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Roxie Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Deeds, of Springfield, were the week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Walton.

Miss Alice Rutan, of Xenia, is visiting girl friends here.

Mrs. Joseph Walton, of Leadville, Col., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Walton.

WANTS TO ABANDON ROAD

Columbus, June 20.—The State Utilities Commission today was to hear the application of Charles C. Harris, Cincinnati, receiver of the Cincinnati, Milford & Loveland Traction Co., for abandonment of the road, Harris says the road is not able to operate profitably.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL PLANT PICTURES ARE ON DISPLAY

Pictures of the new sewage disposal plant are on display in the windows of the C. S. Frazer shoe store.

Views of the new plant when undergoing construction and a full view of the entire finished plant are shown with the display, and affords many people who are unable to see the plant itself, excellent illustrations of the new city utility.

A bottle of the sewage after it has been treated in the concern, is also shown in the display.

DAYTON STREET CAR SERVICE IS TIED UP

Arbitration of the street car strike that has been holding up traffic in Dayton, has still failed to find a settlement of the difficulty and the three street car lines involved are still tied up by the strike.

Refusal of the companies to recognize the union as regards a closed shop and the contention of the companies that the matter of increased wages for the men and the matter of increased fare are inseparable and should be arbitrated at one and the same time, are the two obstacles which stand in the way of a settlement. The companies, the striking employees and the city of Dayton are representatives of the different factions are attempting to arrive at a settlement.

All street car lines excepting the Hills and Dales operated by the Ohio Electric and the D. S. & X. S. which is a part of the interurban line, are involved in the strike.

LITTLE PAUL EARLY IS CALLED BY DEATH

Little Paul Early, seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Early of near Bowersville, died Tuesday evening. The child had just been taken home from the McClellan Hospital on Tuesday morning, being at the hospital for treatment for heart trouble, which followed an attack of three-day measles.

The child leaves besides his parents, one older brother.

Funeral services were held from the late home Thursday afternoon, and burial was made at Jamestown.

BYRON

The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Florence Funderberg, Thursday.

Miss Garnett Strayer, of Xenia, is spending a week with Misses Ruby and Irma Harner.

Robert Kyle is visiting with his uncle in Indiana.

Ralph Kendig and family spent the week-end in Dayton.

The Philathea class will meet at the home of Misses Helen and Bernice Pennewitt.

Mrs. Maywood Turner and son John spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Forest Batdorf and family.

Innocence No Guard.

A southern newspaper contains the following item: "Joe Odom was acquitted of violating the prohibition law, and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 or serve three months at hard labor; the balance of the fine to be suspended during good behavior on payment of \$50." We shudder to think of what might have been inflicted upon Joe had he been convicted instead of acquitted.—Case and Comment.

DEMAND PEACE

Amsterdam, June 20.—The Vienna labor council has passed a resolution declaring that a substantial lasting improvement in the food situation is impossible during the war and demanding a speedy, general peace, it was learned here today.

At the same time, the city council adopted a resolution energetically protesting against reduction of the bread ration.

London, June 20.—Heavily censored private messages indicate there have been great peace demonstrations in Berlin, Cologne and Hamburg recently, according to a Stockholm despatch published in the Post.

Military police dispersed the crowds killing several workmen and arresting others.

A letter just received from Oscar Price, who before joining the colors was the East End correspondent for this paper, says he has been assigned to the training in the machine gun school, and that orders have been received from the War Department transferring the machine gun school from Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa, to Camp Hancock, Georgia, a short distance from Augusta, Ga. He says he considers himself quite fortunate in getting in the machine gun school, for the men were selected entirely upon qualifications. The machine gun is the highest branch in the Infantry and this is the first time colored men have ever been trained for officers in this branch of the service.

COMPLETE REST FOR M'ADOO

Washington, June 20.—Secretary McAdoo has been ordered by physicians to a ranch in the west. Believing his throat trouble was serious, the doctors ordered complete rest.

NOW ON

Ready-to-Wear Sale



Suits--Silk and Wool

\$50.00 and \$60.00 SILK SUITS, at	\$36.75
\$42.50 and \$45.00 SILK SUITS, at	\$29.75
\$39.75 and \$42.75 Wool SUITS, at	\$24.75
\$29.75 and \$35.00 Wool SUITS, at	\$17.75

Specially priced to meet summer needs, in the smartest colorings and styles.

Silk Dresses, Linen Dresses, Gingham Dresses

\$19.75 and \$22.75 SILK DRESSES, now at	\$14.75
\$27.50 and \$29.75 SILK DRESSES, now at	\$19.75
\$37.50 and \$42.50 SILK DRESSES, now at	\$24.75

A most timely pricing of summer-wear Dresses. These are all high-priced Dresses.

\$18.75 LINEN DRESSES, all colors	\$13.95
\$15.00 LINEN DRESSES, all colors	\$10.95
Our \$13.75 and \$15.00 French Gingham Dresses are reduced to	\$9.50

These are in small checks

Skirts

\$1.50 and \$1.25 WHITE WASH SKIRTS (Piqua and Gabardines) \$1.00

Waists

\$2.00 LADIES' VOILE and ORGAN-DIE WAISTS \$1.59
A Selected Lot—Beauties.

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Figures, dates and addresses are counted.

MISCELLANEOUS

BROWN TOURING CAR, with self starter. Price, \$350. A good two seated car. John Harbine, Allen Building. Telephone. 6-27

THE RASPBERRY season and crop will be short, on account of dry weather. Those desiring Raspberries for canning should place order at once. Cherries, peaches, pears, plums and blackberries are a failure in this section, and apples a little crop. Ross Cowen, Bell phone 4003-3. 6-21

FISHBACK'S New and Second-hand Stoves, 635, 637, 638 E. Main. Buy and sell. Clothes, Stoves, Furniture, Carpets, etc. Citizens phone G-334. f-s-m-tf

LOOK! Men's Suits neatly dry cleaned and pressed. Palm Beach suits cleaned snow white. 30 West Main Street, upstairs. 6-21

KOONTZ HARDWARE CO., of Yellow Springs, just received a carload of fence. Come early. 6-22

AUTOMOBILE seven passenger Studebaker. Will sell for \$25.00 down and \$10.00 monthly. This will appeal to one who can put this car in order himself. John Harbine, Allen Building. Telephone. 6-21

DEAD STOCK WANTED—We will pay positively the highest prices. Prompt attention given to all calls. The George Spencer Fertilizer Co. Bell 71-R. Citizens 20. 8-24-tf

LOOK! LOOK! Men's guaranteed trousers, made to measure, \$1.00. \$2.00 blue serge suits now \$2.00. 30 West Main Street, upstairs. 6-21

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two Shorthorn cows, with calf by side. Josiah Elam, Rutland road. 6-21

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Good binder. Call 4911-R. 6-21

FOR SALE—A bargain for a quick buyer. I am anxious to sell 7 acres of good land, nicely located. Makes a nice plat or truck garden. In the city limits; gas, city water and trolley line. A fine home site. Call or see M. B. Gatch, 119 N. Detroit St. 6-22

FOR SALE—Young brood sows, due to farrow this month. Beam Bros. 6-21

FOR SALE—Chester White male hog. Jno. Atkinson, Cincinnati pike. Citizens phone 2-825. 6-21

FOR SALE—Cheap: Michigan five passenger automobile; self starter. Harbine, Allen Building. 6-24

FOR SALE—12x28 ft. Ross Silo, in good condition. Bell 4036-R. H. A. Shank. 6-22

FOR SALE—Motorcycle, Excelsior. Twin cylinder. Good tires. Price, \$85. John Harbine, Allen Building. 6-25

FOR SALE—We sell the Fayette Livestock self feeder for hogs and the feed to put in them. Bales & Smith, 434 West Main. 6-6tf

FOR SALE—All kinds of cook stoves, wood or coal, also gas ranges and gasoline stoves. All kinds of stove repairs. Andy Pfuhl Secondhand store Third street, two doors west of Detroit. 4-8tf

FOR QUICK SALE—Hupmobile 36, 5 passenger, newly painted, self starter, electric lights, good condition. Will sell cheap if sold at once. Also one Overland in fine condition. A bargain for quick sale. Sutton Auto Sales Co. 50-52 East Main St. 5-1-tf

REAL ESTATE

REAL ESTATE AND LOANS—Notes bought. John Harbine, Jr., Allen Building, Xenia, Ohio. 9-7tf

TOM C. LONG—Real estate and insurance. Will buy or sell your property, or loan you money. It will pay you to see me. Office 19 South Detroit St. Gazette Building. Both phones. 6-1tf

JOHN W. PRUGH, "The Real Estate Man," will buy or sell your property. Money to loan. Twelve years of successful business. A square deal. Office No. 6 North Detroit St. Both phones. 6-1tf

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—A furnished room in private residence; modern; garage for small machine. Inquire at 119 N. Detroit street. 6-22

FOR RENT—Living room in Gazette bldg for man only. Call at Gazette office. 6-22

FIFTY FIFTH ANNUAL WILBERFORCE COMMENCEMENT HELD THURSDAY

Eleven degrees were conferred upon graduates by Wilberforce University at the fifty-fifth annual commencement of this famous negro institution Thursday forenoon.

In addition diplomas and certificates were awarded one hundred students who had finished the various courses in the theological department and the Combined Normal and Industrial Department. President W. S. Scarborough conferred the degrees and awarded diplomas and certificates, and announced the prize winners, following the commencement address by W. H. Lewis of Boston, former assistant attorney general of the United States. The commencement exercises took place in Galloway Hall, opening at 10 o'clock.

Nine of the graduates are in the service of their country and their names on the program were preceded by a star. One third of the male student body at the university has been called away by the war and the effect of the war was very noticeable about the institution on commencement day.

Winners of degrees, diplomas and certificates are:

Candidates for Degrees, Diplomas and Certificates.

Degrees—Classical:
Brooks, Ethel Coleman, A. B.
Dickinson, Anna May, A. B.
Jackson, Geraldine Edith, A. B.
Walker, Lucile Cornelia, A. B.
Williams, Peter C., A. B.

Scientific.
Bean, Allen Clyde, B. S.
Dolphin, Newton Alphonso, B. S.
Ford, Coit Cooke, B. S.
Price, Benjamin, B. S.
Singleton, Alzada Mentor, B. S.
Walker, Faustina Anna, B. S.

Theological.
Maxwell, James Henry, B. D.
Patterson, Elza Lorenzo, B. D.
Ridley, Lendell Charles, B. D.
Spiuy, Charles Samuel, B. D.

Teachers' Diplomas—Normal.
Alston, Ruth E.
Asher, O. May.
Bowles, Ernelle.
Coleman, Armetie.

WANTED

WANTED—100 head of sheep to pasture. H. S. Dean, Cit. 2-495. 6-21

WANTED—Middle aged woman for housework in country. No outside work. Bell phone 7-Y2. Spring Valley. 6-22

WANTED—Board or rooms, for two in private family. 584-Bik. 6-22

WANTED—4 woodworking machine hands; 45 cents per hour. 12 bench hands, 40 cents per hour. 12 laborers to pile lumber, 30 cents per hour. Apply F. A. Reguarth Co., Dayton, Ohio. 6-21

POULTRY WANTED—Get our prices. Highest market prices. Fletcher's Wholesale and Retail Poultry Dealers and Grocery, Bell 499, Cit. 30. July 26

WANTED—Any one leaving for summer and wishing home occupied and cared for, to call or address W. F. Linscott, 115 N. Detroit. 6-20

WANTED—A fireman. Apply at employment office of Hoover & Allison Company. 6-20

FOR RENT—Modern house, with new bath room, within three blocks of center of town. Every room repaired and woodwork revarnished. Newly painted on outside. Natural gas and electric lights in every room. Hot and cold water at kitchen sink. Very desirable. Call at Gazette office. 6-20

WANTED—Able bodied married men to deliver coal and ice. Must be sober and honest. References required. \$24.00 per week. Lake Coal & Ice Co. 209 Concord st., Dayton, O. 6-6tf

TIME TABLES

PENNSYLVANIA LINES.

For Columbus and the East.
3:57 a. m., daily except Sunday; 9:53 a. m., Sunday only; 10:45 a. m., 11:19 a. m., 3:13 p. m., 6:15 p. m., accommodation; 6:32 p. m., 7:00 p. m., 10:58 p. m.

From Columbus and the East.
4:15 a. m., 7:20 a. m., 7:35 a. m., 8:25 a. m., 9:00 a. m., 2:58 p. m., 6:35 p. m., 10:25 p. m.

For Cincinnati and the South.
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Dawson, Lillian R.
Derrickson, Julia A.
Dunlap, Mollie E.
Eubanks, Lillian M.
Harris, Jessie M.
Howard, Isabel.
Johnson, Alice L.
Knox, Elva A.
Lewis, Margaret E.
Lewis, Nellie F.
Meadows, Cora G.
Meadows, Nina D.
McGee, Grace D.
Smith, Lloyd G.
Steenbergen, C. Lillian.

Household Arts.
Ash, Beulah M.
Dotson, Freda Hortense.
Mason, Ida B.
Roan, Mary M.
Upthegrove, L. Lorene.
Woodson, E. Marguerite.

Commercial.
Caliman Wayman G.

Manual Training.
Duplessis, Joseph.

Diplomas—Commercial.
Bailey, James H.

Brockenridge, America C.
Bynum, Charles L.
Green, Almeda V.
Green, Carrie E.
Martin, Charles S.
Price, Oscar.
Winbun, George W.

Mechanical Engineering.
Jones, Frederick.

Academy.

Awuku, Samuel E.
Barnett, Oida.
Borden, Marie.
Bryant, Willa P.
Davis, Carline.

Delaney, Martin R.
Garvin, Curtis.
Graves, Bessie.
Holly, Lewis.
Jackson, Ophelia.
Jackson, Thomas.
McGee, Ruth.
Metts, Sarah.
Mfofo, Stephen.
Offutt, Ruby.

Robinson, Isway J.
Shockley, Cassandra.
Smith, Carter.
Talbert, Elizabeth.
Turner, David.
York, Josephine.

Certificates—English Theological.
Chase, Samuel Christian.
Clark, Augustus Norman.
Kennedy, Thomas Arthur.
Palm, Amos Alonzo.
Wright, William Beauford.

Domestic Science.

Alexander, Henry.

Cottee, Allela.

Cobb, Mary.

Dickerson, Anna.

Green, Susie.

Johnson, Lucile.

Meadows, Nina.

Meadows, Cora.

McAtee, Leota.

Parker, Jessie.

Talbert, Helen.

Watson, Dorothy.

Wright, Letha.

York, Josephine.

Shockley, Cassandra.

Woodard, Gertrude.

Matthews, Queenesther.

Dressmaking.

Alston, E. Ruth.

Brown, S. Ledonia.

Bowles, Ernelle.

Brooks, Ethel.

Coleman, Armetie.

Clark, Helen.

Cottee, Allela.

Cassell, Flossie.

Dunlap, E. Mollie.

Derrickson, A. Julia.

Gardner, Dovie O.

Ginn, Ola L.

Harris, Jessie M.

Johnson, Hulda.

Lewis, Nellie F.

McGee, Grace.

Overton, Sadie.

Talbert, Elizabeth.

Young, Anna.

Shoemaking.

Martin, Charles.

McNorton, Howard.

Bynum, Charles.

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Bad Language Astonished Horse.

A horse's surprise was recounted in court the other day when a gamekeeper was fined a dollar at Thaxted, Essex, England, for using bad language. A woman who preferred the charge said that a horse near her cottage "laid back its ears and turned its eyes in great astonishment toward the swearing gamekeeper."

Letters From Our Soldiers

Letters for this column from Greene county's soldiers are solicited. No matter whether the letter is from a soldier in the training camp or from the battle trenches it is of interest, not only to his close friends but to the general public. Therefore if you receive a letter from a soldier and it contains interesting news pass it along to the newspaper and we will publish it so all his friends may enjoy it. Soldiers are also invited to write directly to the newspaper.

Mrs. E. T. Edingfield has received the following letter from her son, Henry Webster, who is in the 481st, Aero Squadron, of the American Expeditionary forces in France:

"Dear Mother:—This is the day we are all asked to write to our mothers, I am well and enjoying myself fine. I just received two letters from you and they surely were a treat to me for it had been two long months since I heard from home. The first one was not addressed right but I got it just the same. You people can not realize what a letter from dear old mother means to her boy so far away.

"This is a beautiful country but somewhat damp. The French people themselves are very friendly to us. I am not able to talk much French yet but am learning. We speak English among ourselves and that makes it harder for us to learn.

"We are camped about five miles

from a small city and we can go in most any time we are off duty. It only costs us two cents to ride in on the train. The trains here look like toys to us. The French are much different in many ways. Their wagons have only two wheels and when they hitch two horses they have one ahead of the other. All buildings here are stone or concrete. In a great many, the people live in one end and the stock in the other end of the house. How would you like that way of living?

"There is a Catholic church here that was built in the tenth century. I have been in it once. I am going to church today at the Y. M. C. A. Each soldier who goes to church today will get a flower pinned on his blouse in honor of mother. We have some good times at the Y. M. C. A. I was there at a prize fight last night.

"You asked if I had a girl. No, they will not let us go with them. The boys are all beefing this morning on account of having our hats taken away from us and given caps with no eye shades on them. I bet the man who designed them never had to wear one of them.

"So I will close as there will be a lot of letters to censor today. They will mail all of our letters today. With love to mother and all—good-bye, from son, Henry."

McCALL VS WEEKS MAY BE THE TICKET

Boston, Mass., June 20—Governor Samuel McCall will buck Sen. Weeks for the republican nomination for the United States senate this fall if a canvass being made by McCall's trustees in all parts of Massachusetts leads the veteran to think he can win.

In case McCall goes in, the greatest republican party fight ever waged in the state for a nomination will take place, as McCall has been out for Week's scalp ever since the Boston financier sidetracked his senatorial ambition in 1913 by getting the state legislature to send him to Washington instead of McCall.

At that time McCall did not send Weeks a letter of congratulation and it was the only bitter pill he has taken in a long political career. Nothing would suit the Massachusetts governor better than to beat Weeks at a popular election.

Asking Favors.
When you ask a favor, act as if you expected it would be granted. A request that is unreasonable ought not to be made at all, and if it is reasonable, give people the credit for being ready to help. We pay our friends a poor compliment when we ask a little favor with an air of expecting that they are going to refuse.

PETEE DINK—The Water Is the Only Thing Pete's Missing Now

By C. A. Voight



XENIA PEOPLE SEE AVIATORS FALL TO DEATH

Lieutenant Frank Stuart Patterson, nephew of John H. Patterson of Dayton, and a tester at Wright Field and Lieutenant Leroy Swan of Norwich, Conn., were both killed about 5:30 o'clock Wednesday evening when the machine they were testing came apart at a distance of 15,000 feet in the air and crashed to the earth.

The body of the plane containing the two men fell in Wright Field, its parts being buried in the earth for five feet. One of the victims of the accident was in the body when it fell, the other unfortunate aviator falling or jumping from the plane when it was still 400 feet in the air.

The accident, the most unusual that ever occurred at the field and the only case of its kind in the history of fly-

ing, has thrown a pall over the flying field. The accident is doubly sad because of the fact that Lieutenant Patterson, who was but 22 years of age, was a Dayton boy and well-known and well-liked throughout that city. Lieutenant Swan was married and had been living at Fairfield with his wife.

Observers say that the most unusual accident was caused by the wings separating from the body at the extreme height of 15,000 feet. The first belief that it was caused by an explosion due to the hearing of loud reports, was given credence when it was learned that the Pilot, Lieutenant Patterson had fired his machine gun at that height. According to eye witnesses the machine crumpled up the wings parting from the body and the propeller coming down separately. It was said that the machine had been used before but no explanation of the cause of the accident was given out. The fact that the plane was equipped with a machine gun shows that it was a battleplane and not a mere instructing machine.

Lieut. Patterson was a son of the late Frank J. Patterson and one of Dayton's best known young men. He was born in Dayton, September 4, 1896, and had just graduated from Yale in the class of 1918. He joined the aviation branch before war was declared, learning to fly at Buffalo, received his ground school education at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in Boston and completed his training at Minola, Long Island, N. Y. He had been at Fort Sill, Oklahoma until three months ago when he came to Fairfield. Because of his ability as a flyer he was used as a tester, a most responsible position, and he had been promised a captaincy soon.

The unfortunate accident was witnessed by a number of people at the field, among them being Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Mullen of this city, who had just stopped near the field to watch the flying, there being several machines up at the time. When Mrs. Mullen first sighted the machine she thought that it was turning "flips" until she saw that the aviator had no control of the plane. The body of the plane sailed directly over the heads of the local people falling to the ground within the field but less than fifty yards from where they were standing.

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THE WOMAN WHO CHANGED

By JANE PHELPS.

The Ways of Society
CHAPTER XVIII.

To me the ways of society were most puzzling. The caustic remarks, the frank discussions of things which in my home town never were talked about always made me feel sort of out of it. When I spoke to George of my feelings he either made light of them or said I "didn't understand." There were many things that I evidently didn't understand.

I once talked in an impersonal way of Julia Collins to Geraldine Ross. In response to something I said she re-

turned: "Julia is a regular man's woman," as if that excused everything she might do.

"Just what do you mean by a man's woman, Mrs. Ross?" I asked.

Oh, she makes herself like them, she never fusses, she flatters them and makes them comfortable."

"Yes, but she must do more than that to attract them as she does."

"I don't know that I can explain. But I keep close tab on Bert when she is around. She is always ready for anything anyone proposes. She isn't a bit of a prude, yet she never has done anything to get herself talked about. If a man does something he shouldn't, like taking a drop too much or something like that she never rakes him over the coals, just sympathizes with him because his wife does. Oh, she is clever, all right."

Helen is Enlightened as to Julia Collins Methods

"But how can she know that his wife hauls him over the coals, as you say?" I asked, my curiosity excited.

"My but you are innocent!" Mrs. Ross exclaimed. "Why my dear Mrs. Howard, Julia Collins is the confidante of half the men in our set. They all run to her for comfort when things go wrong at home. While I do not believe they complain of their wives, they let her see that they need sympathy, and come to her for it."

"But—I don't see"—I hesitated to say what was in my mind. That if Julia Collins did not care how much she hurt the feelings of the wives; I should think, for her own sake, her reputation, she would hesitate to receive their husbands'.

"I want you to understand one thing. No one ever accused Julia Collins of anything wrong," Mrs. Ross interrupted before I could put my thought into words. "She is as cold as ice and as chaste. No one else I know could do as she does, and be liked by other women. I like her immensely."

She is clever, bright, and although I wouldn't like her to forget my Bert dangling after her, if she did I would not think anything wrong. I wonder sometimes you are so lenient with Mr. Howard. He is altogether too charming a man to let her monopolize him as she does. I know they are awfully old friends and all that; but there's a limit to good nature. I wouldn't be so kind I am sure."

"Oh, yes you would. She is such an old friend, you know. It would be very small in me to object to a friendship begun before my husband knew I existed," I protested, anxious to make her think I knew and approved of all that George did.

"Don't be foolish! She is an old friend grant you that. But that is no reason why she should lure a married man from his home with her little chafing dish suppers, and her cozy evenings when she forgets to ask his wife," then she added, "Conveniently forgets."

Helen Asks An Explanation
"Just what do you mean?" I asked. "Just what I have said. Julia thinks nothing of having those little suppers a deux, or if there are more, it is always more men. She is a monopolist in a way. I'll warrant half the men in our set are with her often when their wives think they are at their clubs."

Oh, you must be mistaken," I declared, yet making a vow to find out the next time George said he was going to his club if he were really there.

"It is awfully nice of you to stand up for the men. But I am not so generous. I want my own husband. If Julia Collins wants a man she will have to find one else besides Bert Ross. But I don't mind telling you that I have learned a lot from her. Or that I use a good many of her methods. If she can win men by them why shouldn't I use them to hold the only man I care about?"

What a gossip I am," she said after a moment. "Here I have been talking about Julia Collins in a horrid manner, and I really like her. I feel as if I should beg her pardon. Yet I have said nothing but the truth."

"And nothing about the shrewdly told Mrs. Collins," I assured her. "I am sure she could not object to your saying she was so fascinating that none of us could hope to vie with her."

"Not quite that! you, with your youth, your beauty, and your wonderful musical talent have no reason to be afraid of any woman. But with we ordinary women it is different. We have to watch out that she does not make our husbands discontented with their hum-drum home lives."

To-morrow—George Howard Spends the evening With Julia Collins.

Bad Kidneys Laid Him up.
A slight impairment may lead to dropsy or Bright's disease. Don't neglect it. Frank Miller, Bingham, Utah, writes: "Was troubled with my kidneys so bad I could not work. Tried many kinds of medicine which did me no good. Then I tried Foley Kidney Pills; now feeling as good as lever did before." Sayre & Hemphill.

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SECOND U. P. CHURCH TO SEND MISSIONARY TO FIELD IN INDIA

The Second United Presbyterian church of this city voted on last Sunday, with splendid unanimity, to add another minister to its corps of workers and maintain a missionary of its own in India.

For several weeks a canvass has been in progress among the members of the congregation looking forward to this and the report showed that about \$2,700 has been pledged for this purpose which will permit of supporting a missionary assistant in India for three years.

The Rev. Kenneth MacKenzie, a member of the Second church and a graduate from the Xenia Seminary in this year's class has been proffered the position of foreign pastor of the Second Church and accepted this for a term of three years.

Mr. MacKenzie left Tuesday for New York City, to spend the remainder of the summer in a school of special training for missionaries and expects to sail in September for India.

JOHN G. BALDNER IS NOW A LIEUTENANT

It is now Lieutenant John G. Baldner.

Official word was received from the war department by Mrs. F. G. Baldner Wednesday, that her son, John G. Baldner, a flying cadet in France, has been commissioned a Second Lieutenant in the Aviation branch of the Signal corps.

Mr. Baldner has been in the service since last September and following graduation from ground school for aviators at Ohio State University at Columbus, he has been in France. His time in France dates from December 19.

While Mr. Baldner had been flying privately before he entered the service his flying service in France has been delayed and he had only been flying ten days when he was awarded his commission which dates from May 16. He has many friends in this city who will be glad to hear of his promotion.

Twenty Years Ago Today

General Blanco gave out the statement today that Lieutenant Hobson would not be exchanged until Havana is taken. There are 50,000 Spaniards in the Cuban capital. They are now on half rations.

Mr. Henry Evers, day baggage-master at the Pan Handle depot, who has been on the sick list for a few days, was again able to resume his duties this morning. During his absence John O'Dea, the night man, has been filling his place and Harry Robinson has been looking after the business at night.

While riding his wheel between Spring Valley and Bellbrook yesterday, Ab Thornhill of this city, saved a baby's life, when the child fell from a passing buggy, when the horse shied. Mr. Thornhill rescued the child before it was run over, saving it from injury. The baby would probably have been killed had it not been for Mr. Thornhill's alertness.

A jolly crowd of campers left Xenia this morning for Clifton to spend a couple of weeks in out-door life among the cliffs. The crowd con-

A Woman Gives Out Important Secrets

Madame Langford, well known beauty specialist, in a recent interview told the secrets of her success in improving the complexion. She says: The average man has a better complexion than woman of same age—men use lots of soap and water in shaving and the massaging necessary prevents wrinkles, etc. Women are too apt to depend on a casual washing with cold water, then try to cover up defects with powder and rouge and this makes the complexion worse. She must give the skin careful attention at night—sleeping with powder, dust and grime of the day on the face will soon coarsen the finest skin and cause various complexion troubles. Use a soft wash cloth, rubbed on Velveta Complexion Soap and warm water, and after cleansing—the soft, oily Velveta Massage, using an upward and outward movement with the finger tips, working out impurities from the pores of the skin. This treatment soon produces marvelous results. Then in the morning, apply Velveta Vanishing Cream and Velveta Face Powder to protect the delicate surface of the skin from the sun and wind and this gives the whole secret of a perfect complexion for women. —Adv.

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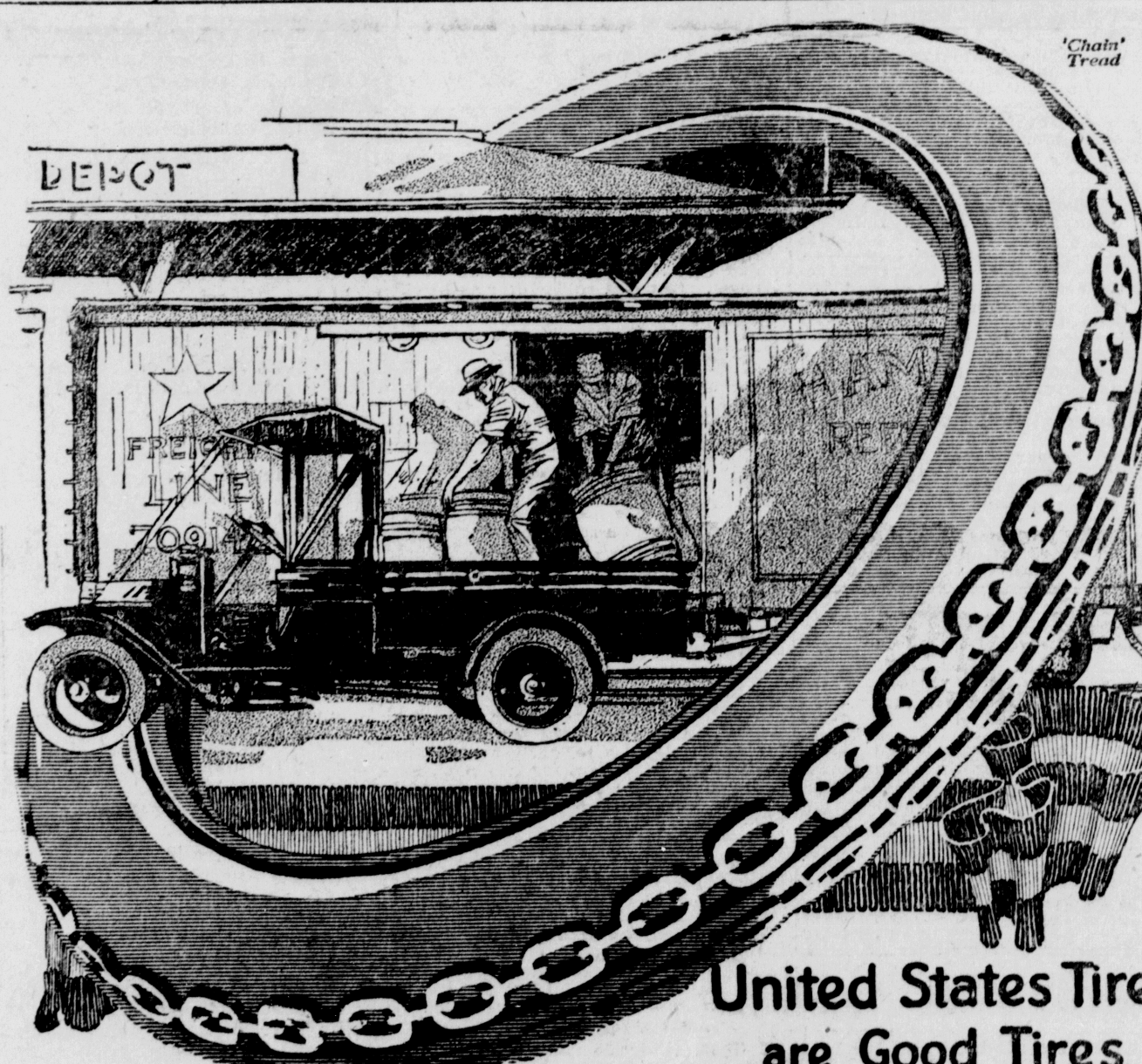
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sisted of Fred Alexander, John Dillencourt, Herman Eavey, Ed Faul, Thirl Johnson, James Chew, Ray Johns, and William Jackson, cook, and Ernest Lucas, mascot. They have four tents and all needful for camp life. "Camp Alexander" is located near the old mill and the boys extend an invitation to their friends to pay them a visit.

Everyday Etiquette

"How should I introduce a lady and gentleman? Whose name shall I mention first, and should I ask if they wish to meet?" inquired Grace. "When introducing a lady and gentleman, always remember to present the man to the lady. You say: 'Miss Smith, may I present Mr. Blank?' or 'Miss Smith, this is my friend, Mr. Blank,'" said her aunt.

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The German and Austrian Armies Suffer Heavy Losses on Both Fronts

ELEMENTS AID ITALIANS IN GREAT BATTLE

With the Italian Armies in the field, June 19.—The elements are aiding the Italians.

Heavy rains in the mountain regions have changed the Piave from a sluggish stream to a rushing flood, destroying bridges and cutting off Austrian forces on this side of the river from their source of supply and reinforcements.

British airmen report that 12 of the 14 bridges flung across the Piave by the enemy have been carried away. Trapped on the west bank, Austrian detachments are subjected to almost constant mauling by the Italian artillery and bombs dropped by allied airmen, with no avenue of escape.

The Austrians thus caged have an advantage in position and are yet too well supplied with ammunition to warrant a front assault. There is every possibility, however, that exhaustion of their ammunition and food supplies, together with the pounding they are undergoing, will eventually force them to lay down their arms, or sacrifice themselves in desperate assaults on the Italian lines.

Frantic efforts to restore the pontoon bridges so far have been frustrated by the swollen current and the accuracy of the Italian artillery.

The enemy's losses on all parts of the front in the first three days of the offensive are now estimated at 150,000.

The heaviest fighting is still around the bridge head the Austrians have established on the lower Piave, from where they are trying to push westward towards Venice. The enemy now holds the west bank of the river from Maxrada to Fossalta and San Dona Di Piave, a front of 18 kilometers (about 12 miles).

Austrian artillery is pouring thousands of poison, tear, emetic and mustard gas shells into the rear areas. Schio, Bassano, Asolo and Treviso have thus been rendered practically uninhabitable.

Schio is on the Leogra river, south-west of the Asiago plateau, and about eight miles behind the lines. Bassano is on the Brenta river, south of Mont Grappa, and about the same distance behind the lines. Asolo is on the Musone river eight miles east of Bassano. Treviso is on the Sile river, about nine miles west of the Piave.

DRAWING FOR THE NEW REGISTRANTS TO BE HELD SOON

Washington, June 20.—Drawing for the 21 year old registrants, members will be held at an early date, it was announced at the Provost Marshal General's office today. To date although not announced, it is believed to be around July 26. It will be held in the same manner as the original one, with a few slight variations.

WESTERN UNION OFFICE RAIDED

Washington, June 20.—Raids were carried out today by the Government on Western Union offices at Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, Washington and Boston to secure evidence upholding charges that the Western Union is operating in competition with the postoffice department by delivering "night letters" via trains.

HINDENBURG JEALOUSLY GUARDS HIS UNTOUCHED RESERVE ARMY

With the French Armies in the field, June 20.—Despite the four great drives the Germans have undertaken on the French front, since March 21, in which many divisions have been engaged two, three or four times, Hindenburg is still jealously guarding his untouched reserve divisions.

It is positively known that the German high command plans repeated attacks between the North Sea and the Champagne region, to kill off or wear out the allied reserves.

In the meantime, the Germans seek to advance their lines towards

U. S. WILL SOON DECLARE WAR ON THE TURKS

Washington, June 20.—Apparently preliminary to a war declaration against Turkey, the state department today formally inquired as to the reported Turkish transgressions against the American consulate and hospital at Tabriz.

The Spanish embassy was also asked to investigate, inasmuch as the Spanish representative at Tabriz cared for American interests there, and the Swedish legation was asked because it represented Teuton interests there.

Congress is ready to declare war on Turkey the moment official verification is obtained of the seizure of the American consulate at Tabriz, and the attack on the American hospital at Tabriz, Persia. The majority sentiment in both houses favors immediate declaration of hostilities but will await word from president: "There never has been any reason I could see for delay," said Senator Harding, of Ohio. This may bring the result so many of us had desired so long.

REVOLUTION IN KIEFF SPREADS

London, June 20.—Revolution which broke out in Kieff has spread to the districts of Chernigoff and Poltava, to the eastward, according to an intercepted wireless dispatch received in Moscow and relayed here. Forty thousand armed peasants in these districts are said to be organizing to resist the German-controlled Ukrainian government.

Artillery supplies and stores in Kieff are reported blown up. Street fighting is under way. The civilian population is fleeing.

GERMANY'S ANSWER NOT SATISFACTORY

Washington, June 20.—Germany's answer to the American state department for a conference at Berne has not been very satisfactory it was officially learned today. Further inquiries are being made, however, and it is possible the conference ultimately will be arranged.

Incidentally it became known the conference would consider not only treatment of prisoners but also exchange them.

SUBMARINE SIGHTED

New York, June 20.—A German submarine was sighted off the Virginia capes at 4 p. m., yesterday, according to a report made by officers of the coastwise steamer, Advance, today.

The U-boat was four miles from the Advance and failed to come nearer when the steamer's stern gun was ready for action.

DESTROYED WAR GARDEN

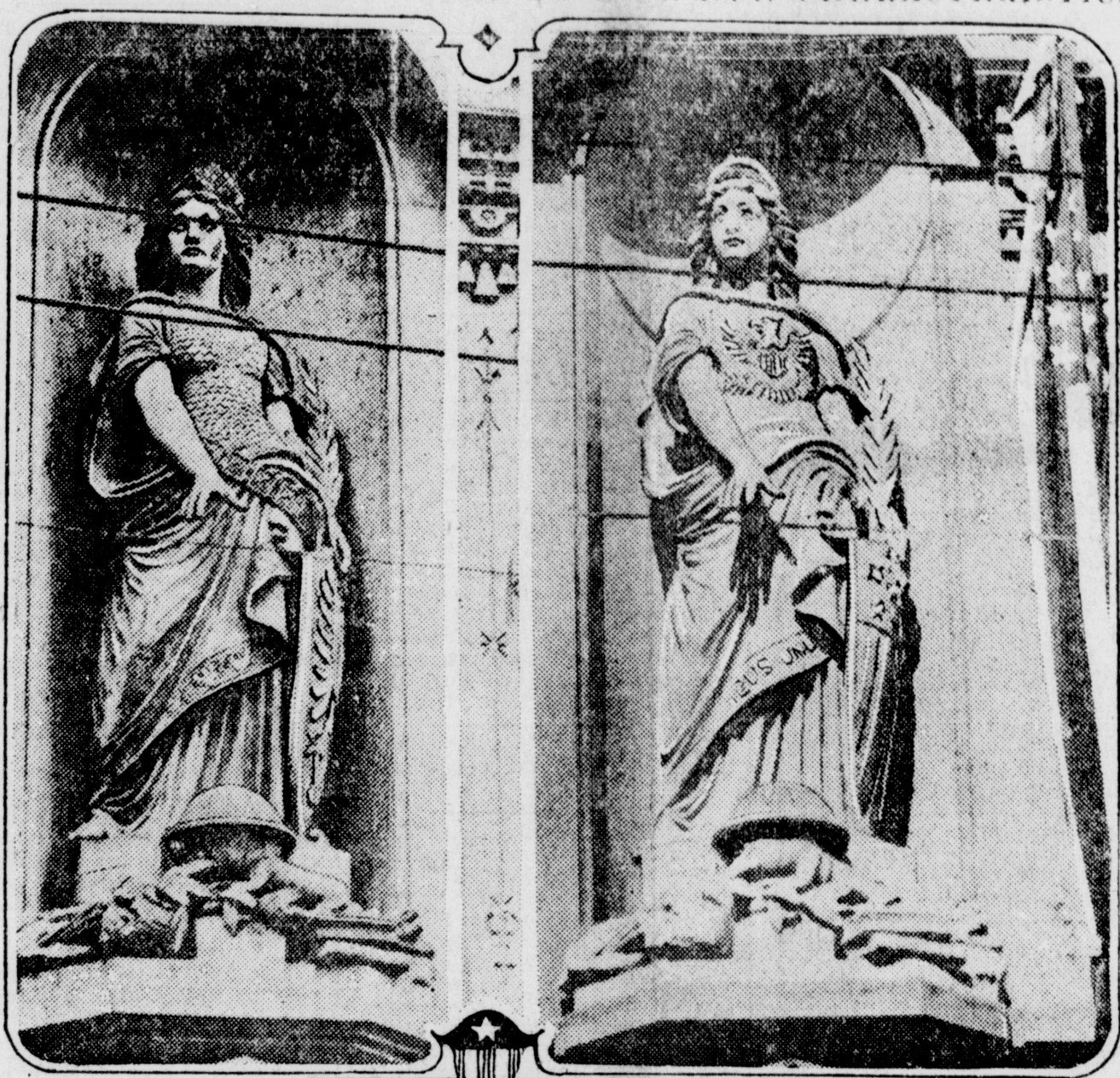
Columbus, June 20.—William Miller, 57, charged with destroying the war garden of Mrs. Irene West, was having his case heard before a jury here today. He pleaded not guilty in Municipal Court last Friday.

OWN A HENNERY

Cleveland, June 20.—"A hennery in every home." That's the Councilman John M. Sulzmann's plan to bring down the market price of eggs.

"Everyone should have a backyard chicken coop," says Sulzmann. "It would bring down the market price of eggs."

MISS COLUMBIA SUCCEEDS OLD "FRAULEIN GERMANIA".
STATUE TRANSFORMED TO KILL HUN CHARACTERISTICS



Old statue of "Germania" in Cincinnati, at left, and same statue transformed into Miss Columbia.

"Fraulein Germania," a statue, had stood in a wall of a Cincinnati building for forty years, looking down with her hard Prussian features and domineering smile on the passersby. The statue has been transformed into Miss Columbia by artists and sculptors and all the "earmarks" of Prussianism have been removed from the statue.

FOOD ADMINISTRATION TAKES STEPS TO SAFE GUARD FARMER

Washington, June 20.—Efforts to save farmers millions of dollars excess threshing charges are under way by the food administration, it was learned today. With harvest beginning in the great wheat belt, reports of profiteering by threshing machine owners are reaching the food administration. Some farmers are being held up for a threshing fee of fifty cents a bushel on wheat. Increased machinery costs and labor shortage are given as reasons. Farmers held down by the fixed \$2.20 wheat price are unable to pass this charge along and must bear it themselves.

An average increase of one cent a bushel threshing fee would cost American farmers about \$10,000,000.

Hoover is organizing threshing committees in every wheat growing county which are to determine a just threshing fee. Profiteering will be guarded against. Increased fees are to be expected however, because of the

increased machinery cost and the general rising scale of prices. Threshing rates have remained practically the same as in 1911 when wheat was about \$1. Wheat prices have doubled since then and the threshing charges must be permitted to keep pace with the advance, officials believe. No uniform schedule of fees can be drawn up because of varying local conditions.

Fee schedules have already been agreed upon in many sections in Texas, Oklahoma, Missouri and Iowa. As the season advances Minnesota, Illinois, Montana and the Dakotas will be reached. Oklahoma prices range from 10 to 18 cents a bushel in some districts.

Missouri's prices are 6 to 10 cents. Illinois has fixed its price as low as 8 cents a bushel.

Threshing machine owners are being licensed and will be under the supervision of the threshing division of the food administration, newly

created to handle the problems of harvesting.

In each county in the wheat belt the county food administration committee is to determine all questions of fees and harvesting on the basis of local conditions.

NATION DOESN'T WANT HEAVYWEIGHT FIGHT

New York, June 20.—If it comes to pass that Jack Dempsey and Fred Fulton are permitted to meet on July Fourth in a twenty round battle at Danbury, Connecticut, the folks who made it possible for Fulton and Willard to meet for the world's heavyweight championship should have something to talk about for a long time.

The coming battle, a logical meeting between the foremost heavyweights in the world, will produce a new ring champion, for the man who wins will be the next opponent of Willard, provided that husky ever again makes up his mind to fight. And when he meets one of these men the chances are he will run a losing race.

As a matter of fact there is no difference between a meeting of Willard and Fulton and a battle with Dempsey and Fulton as principals.

No doubt a scrap for the heavyweight championship now would be a fine thing for the fight fans. No doubt, also, it would be the means of raising a good sum of money for war charity. But the people are really in no mood for an advertised bout between behemoths of the ring. If Willard and Fulton were not allowed to fight because of this sentiment, then there can be no excuse for a tangle between the runners-up to the championship.

While America is crying for a continuance of its sports, it is not including fights in its pleas. The sport lovers are very well satisfied to let the champions remain champions until after the war is won.

To Save Animals

Washington, June 20.—The fight on animal tuberculosis is being pressed this year by federal and state authorities, hand in hand. Of the former, 64 are now co-operating with 54 state officials in a campaign in 31 states. The annual loss from this scourge hitherto has been about \$25,000,000.

GRABBIT SHOP IN LONDON

London, June 20.—War economy at last has planted a grabberia luncheon in England, the first American-type dyspepsia parlor the country has seen. It was opened here by the food ministry as a national restaurant, offering food at about one-third the average restaurant prices. The whole enterprise is a Government affair, and business is booming.

COUNTER-ATTACKS STARTED BY THE ITALIAN FORCES

London, June 20.—Italian forces are now counter-attacking at various points along the whole Piave river line, it was authoritatively learned today.

On the middle Piave, the Italians have driven forward to the West bank of the river, splitting the Austrian forces in that region, and rolling them back to the north and south.

The enemy detachments on the lower Piave have been pushed back until they now hold only a third of their original advance toward Venice.

The Italians also made further slight gains at Nervesa, in the Montello region.

London, June 20.—An unusual phase of the Austrian offensive is the capture of 9,000 prisoners, announced by the Italian war office. This is regarded as unique in defensive fighting.

The situation today, as indicated by the latest official reports, was regarded as continuing favorably for the Italians.

The fighting in the mountain region is still comparatively light, while the Italians are blocking every effort of the enemy to extend his gains along the river areas. The Austrian war office reported the extension of artillery fighting westward to include the Tyrolean front. "The number of prisoners increases" Vienna declared.

Raiding and artillery activity in Flanders was reported by Field Marshal Haig.

Paris, June 20.—"Between Montdidier and the Oise, and in the Bois Le Chaume region, French detachments penetrated the German lines and took twenty prisoners," the French war office announced today.

London, June 20.—Raiding activities, such as presaged the last German drive, were reported all along the Flanders front and the northern portion of the Picardy area by Field Marshal Haig today. Some of the raids led to sharp fighting, with heavy enemy casualties. The increased raiding activities were accompanied by an increase in artillery firing along the southern portion of the Flanders front and the northern part of the Picardy front.

Lens, Givenchy, Strazeele and Ypres, there were a number of raids," the statement said. "Certain of these led to sharp fighting, with many enemy casualties. We took 18 prisoners and three machine guns. A hostile raiding party in the neighborhood of Morlancourt was repulsed by artillery and rifle fire. Between the Somme and Ancre there was hostile artillery firing. On both sides of Albert and in the Labasse canal sector there was considerable reciprocal artillery fighting last night."

HUN'S HEAVY HUMOR SHOWS IN HIS SLANG

London, June 1.—(By Mail)—The Hun has his slang, too.

Fritz's bloodies have had an influence on his wartime lingo of the trenches.

He nicknamed the British common heavy shell after his cousin, the "schwarze sau," or black sow. Fritz's odorous step-brother provided a slang name for the French .75 high explosive shell, which he affectionately calls "stinkweisel," or skunk.

He calls the French .75 shrapnel shell the "windhund," or greyhound. And the low velocity missile is a "blindschleiche," or slow-worm. Shells flying overhead are "hochbanne," elevated railways, "luftomnibusse," aerial omnibuses or "rollwaggen," which means push cart.

The British high velocity shell is called after the grand-daddy of Germany, "schwarzer teufel," black devil, and the Lewis gun is known as the "hackfleischmaschine," or mince-meat machine. Machine guns of other types are called "kaffee-muhle," coffee-mill, "steinklopper," stone-breaker and "mahmaschine," meaning

mowing machine. They also call them by a word meaning "stuttering auntie," which comes nearest to being like regular white man's slang.

Machine gun companies are especially noted for their devotion to the Kaiser, and it's no wonder when you learn that they are called the "Murderey's club" throughout the German army.

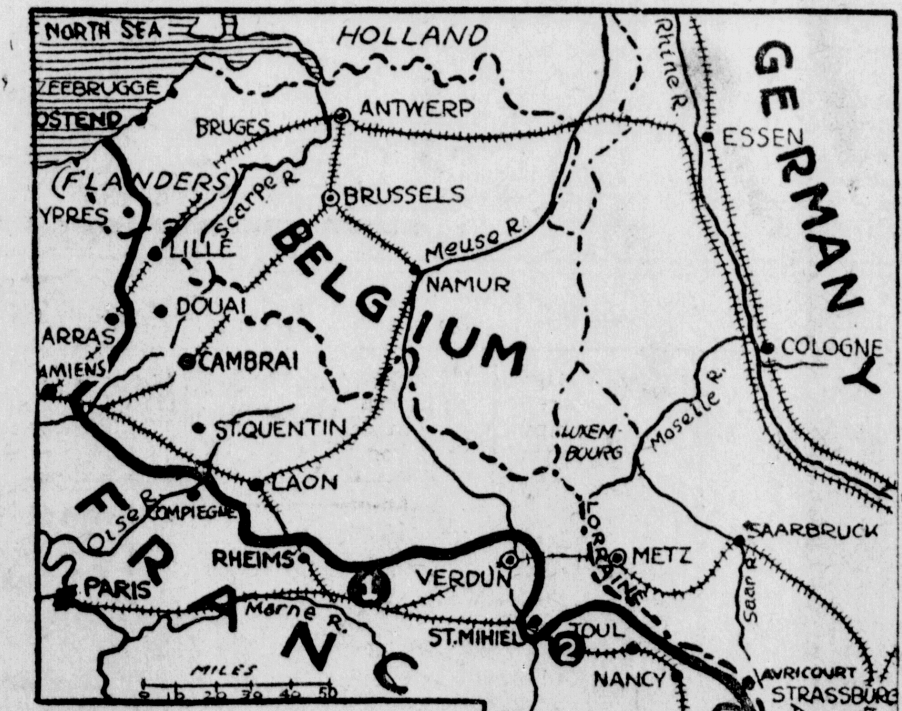
HERE'S REAL SKY PILOT

Dallas, Tex., June 20.—Rev. A. J. Osborne, former assistant pastor of Calvary Episcopal church, New York City, has discarded the wings of eloquence and the flights of oratory, and has taken unto himself the wings of an airplane, and is making flights of observation and attack.

He's a real sky pilot now. He didn't have to go to war, but he's still young, and he found a passage in the Book about "putting on the armor of justice," and took it to mean, in the present instance, an aviator's suit. So he joined the aviation corps—not as a chaplain, but as a fighter.

Ottawa, Can., June 20.—The Canada food board will display a collection of food posters from Great Britain, France, Italy, the United States and Canada at the annual Canadian exhibitions to be held this fall throughout the Dominion.

KAISER MAY STRIKE AT U. S. SECTORS WHEN HE OPENS FIFTH DRIVE OF WAR



The fifth drive of the Germans may be aimed directly at the American troops now at the front. It is believed that the Kaiser will send his picked troops against these sectors held by the U. S. lads in the hope of crashing through their ranks, weakening the morale of the American troops and discouraging the allies. So far he hasn't succeeded very well in doing either. The sectors indicated by figures 1, 2 and 3 are those now held by American forces.